

Town of Superior
Open Space Advisory Committee (OSAC)
Meeting Notes
February 13, 2013

Members of the Committee in attendance: Margaret Parish, Matthew Finnigan, Emily Cederberg, English Hopkins, Sherin Tedeschi (Chair), Jarvie Worcester. Quorum present.

Others in attendance:

Citizens: Jim Paine, John Nibarger.

Town Board Liaison: Trustee Sandy Pennington.

Staff: Bryan Meyer, Martin Toth.

Agenda Items:

1. Updates and Lookahead
 - a. 2013 Work Plan – the Town Board approved the Committee’s Work Plan for this year at their January 28 meeting, amending it to eliminate reference to trail connections with Rocky Flats property.
 - b. Coyote Crew Volunteer Program – the Town is hosting a program to educate the community about coexisting with coyotes, and to teach community volunteers to be part of the Town’s volunteer Coyote Crew to help communicate with residents about coyotes and appropriate hazing techniques. This event is scheduled for February 27 at 6:00 p.m. at Town Hall.
 - c. Committee Open House – the next session is scheduled for March 21 at 6:00 p.m. at Town Hall. Sherin and Matthew agreed to attend the open house to recruit members for our committee. Emily Cederberg will be moving out of Superior and resigning from the committee. This will leave 3 vacant positions on OSAC.
 - d. Arbor Day and Park Opening – the Town is hosting the annual Arbor Day event and holding an opening ceremony at Founders Park (April 20 at 10:00 a.m.)
2. Committee Leadership Elections. Each Town Committee is required to elect new officers for a one-year term by the second Committee meeting of the calendar year. The Committee unanimously elected Sherin Tedeschi as Chair and Matthew Finnigan as Vice-Chair.
3. Discussion – Trail Mapping Website Resources. Bryan Meyer, staff pointperson coordinating the Town’s community page on mapmyrun.com, reviewed with the Committee a presentation on how to use the trail mapping program. The Committee thanked Bryan and Martin for their work on this tool to help our citizens enjoy the trails in Superior.

4. Discussion – Review Evaluation Sheets from Open Space Summary Report for Use During Site Visits. John Nibarger shared a presentation on how the Committee coordinated between 2003 and 2005 to assemble the data and analysis used in the Summary Report. The Committee will plan to visit the Shan Shan parcel and complete evaluation sheets regarding this parcel this spring. The Committee will also plan to visit other parcels to become more familiar with them – these include Level 3 and Zaharias.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 13, 7:00 p.m. at Town Hall.